

## THE DAILY PUBLIC LEDGER

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## THEY REALLY DO IT

A correspondent who asks us, quite unnecessarily, to excuse his handwriting invites editorial comment upon the following statement of facts:

I have been a farm hand for nine years; and, as I have behaved myself and done what was right, I have got along first rate. First, I got thirty dollars a month, and for several years thirty-five dollars, and, as I have my keep, too, don't have much expense, except a suit once in a while. I have twenty-seven hundred and forty dollars in bank, and have an endowment policy for two thousand dollars that will be due in six years. Next year I'll have three thousand dollars saved, and then I'll put it out on a good mortgage at six per cent. That will bring me a hundred and eighty dollars a year. So, when I get the insurance, I'll have six thousand dollars; and then I'll buy my farm and pay cash, and be my own boss. That's doing pretty good, ain't it? And then I'll be thirty-six and will get me a wife. I didn't go tumbling round the country, but just stuck. I have worked; but I guess that's better than the moving pictures and base ball. And if the old grandfathers hadn't worked hard where would the country be now?

Nine years at an average, say, of thirty-two and a half dollars a month, with twenty-seven hundred and forty dollars in the bank at the end of that period, tells its own story—a story in which moving pictures and baseball obviously play small part.

Men really do it—and have proper scorn for the man who complains that he cannot get on.—Saturday Evening Post.

## POSTPONED BUT NOT SOLVED

It is becoming every day more evident that instead of getting nearer to a solution of the controversy between railroad employees and the railroad managers, the hasty legislation of the last session of Congress added to the difficulties. The present session of Congress must deal with the eight-hour problem, and it is complicated by the fact that there must be taken into consideration the rights and interests of the 80 per cent of the employees who were not affected by the legislation known as the Adamson law, and also there must be consideration of the need of increased freight rates in order to make up the increased expenditures forced upon the railroads. Compulsory arbitration will naturally be a feature of attempted legislation on this subject.

## MAKE HAY WHILE THE SUN SHINES

"Make all you can and lay aside a little more than you can, for you are going to need it, and need it badly." This bit of philosophic advice to business men is given by Mr. Robert G. Middleton, a South Chicago buyer, who is interviewed in today's Herald. Mr. Middleton expresses confidence that the present prosperity will last until the war ends in Europe, but of what may come after he says: "The cat may jump any way, and any way it jumps it is going to affect us." He is dubious concerning the outlook for the United States unless the tariff is revised upward.

The government's investigation into the cause of the high cost of living is to be nation-wide. The remedies which the investigators will propose will, of course, necessitate Congressional action. The present Congress has but little more than two months to run, and there will be no more Congress until December, 1917. The duration of our period of "watchful waiting" is easily to be reckoned.

## SPECIAL

DURING BARGAIN DAYS, JANUARY 3 TO 30 ONLY

## COMBINATION OFFER

—THE—

## COMMERCIAL TRIBUNE

Cincinnati's Only Real Morning Paper, and

## DAILY PUBLIC LEDGER

Both Papers One Year For the Remarkably Low Price of

\$4.50

Bring or Send All Orders To

## The Daily Public Ledger

## 100 Free Stamps!

## Look, Boys and Girls

From now until February 1, 1917, THE PUBLIC LEDGER will give ONE HUNDRED MUTUAL MOVIE STAMPS FREE to the boy or girl bringing into this office one new paid-in-advance subscription for THE PUBLIC LEDGER for four months at one dollar.

This is a splendid opportunity for some enterprising boys and girls to fill those empty cards with stamps and to see the movies at our expense.

AND REMEMBER—MUTUAL MOVIE STAMPS are also good for valuable premiums or may be converted into cash. This is an excellent opportunity to fill up your cards and to get a start on saving for a valuable premium. There is no limit as to the number of subscriptions turned in, so BEGIN NOW.

HERE'S A PAIR OF INDIAN CLUBS I BOUGHT YOU, JOHNNY, I'LL TEACH YOU TO SWING THEM SO YOU'LL DEVELOP YOUR SHOULDERS LIKE MINE—BEFORE I BECAME A POLITICIAN I DID CLUB SWINGING FOR A LIVING!



BUT THIS IS HOW HE DID IT



## Correspondence

## Muses Mills

We've some high waters here now. Richard Brammer is better with paralysis.

Squire J. H. Muse has moved into his new house.

Jesse Wilson, who works in Cincinnati, visiting home folks here.

Miss Flora McRoberts fell last Monday and dislocated her right wrist.

Clay Whisman and family have moved from Pea Ridge to the Rigdon farm near here.

Christmas passed off with quite a lot of drinking among our drinking friends here.

Marion Ferguson and family of Flemingsburg are visiting Marion Muse and family at this place.

Charles H. Compton was at Ryan last Monday taking the acknowledgment for two deeds from Dad McRoberts and wife.

Robert Manning and family have moved from Waltz, Rowan county to Ryan near here. Mrs. Manning is suffering with tuberculosis.

MacK Dugan, 24, and Miss Letha James, 20, were quietly married here recently by Rev. Thacker and will go to housekeeping on Big Run near here.

Oscar Hester, 18, and Miss Tilla Goodwin, 16, both of this place have procured the necessary papers and will be quietly married at the bride's home Thursday.

Prof. Gardner of Wallingford, who is teaching the public school at this place, gave an entertainment with a Christmas tree here Christmas, that was largely attended and enjoyed by all present. A large crowd was out and the tree was loaded with presents for the pupils and their friends.

A Christmas tree and entertainment was given by the Sunday School at Plummers' Landing near here last Sunday night. The Christian Church house at that place was filled to overflowing and the speaking, songs, etc., were all real good. Dr. J. P. Huff of that place who is a hustling Sunday School worker, planned the whole affair which we are proud to say was a success. While there were several presents who were drinking, good order generally prevailed and every one seemed to enjoy the occasion.

It has been in constant use for more than 70 years, and has benefited more than a million people.

Your druggist sells and recommends Black-Draught. Price only 25c. Get package to-day.

Well, what next! USE "ICE STORM" and "GLAZE" INSTEAD OF "SLEET," OFFICIALS SAY

Washington, December 27.—The old-fashioned "sleet" is going out of style this winter before the newer "ice-storm" and "glaze." Weather Bureau officials reported today in their campaign for more accurate terminology for various kinds of frozen rain.

Sleet is officially described as small globules of rain frozen before striking the earth. When rain freezes after falling and forms a glassy coating on the ground, trees and wires the condition is called a glaze, and when this is severe and accompanied by wind it is reported as an ice storm.

The Weather Bureau hopes to eliminate what it considers to be improper use of the word "sleet," as it has caused substitution of the term "frozen rain" for "cyclone" when a violent storm of small diameter is meant.

HUNTERS' LICENSES INCREASE 30 PER CENT

Frankfort, Ky., December 27.—J. Quincy Ward, executive agent of the Fish and Game Commission, has forwarded 60,000 hunters' licenses to the county clerks. The increase in licenses this year will be nearly thirty per cent over that of last year. The license blanks forwarded are for 1917.

1,500,000 RED CROSS STAMPS SOLD DURING HOLIDAY SEASON

Frankfort, Ky., December 27.—The Kentucky Tuberculosis Commission estimates that 1,500,000 Red Cross stamps were sold in Kentucky this year. This is an increase of twenty per cent over the sale of last year.

## C. AND O. INCREASE

Huntington, W. Va., December 27.—Bulletin, dated at Richmond, Va., December 25, copies of which were received here today, announce that, effective January 1, 1917, a 5 per cent increase will be paid to each employee serving the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company in offices at stations and in dining and parlor cars, whose compensation is not covered by an agreement, who has been in service at least one year and whose salary has not been advanced since January 1, 1916.

## Why not try a Ledger Want Ad?

## FAMILY AVOIDS SERIOUS SICKNESS

By Being Constantly Supplied With Thedford's Black-Draught.

McDuff, Va.—"I suffered for several years," says Mrs. J. B. Whitaker, "in this place, with sick headache, an stomach trouble."

"Ten years ago a friend told me to try Thedford's Black-Draught, which I did and I found it to be the best family medicine for young and old."

"I keep Black-Draught on hand all the time now, and when my children feel a little bad, they ask me for a dose, and I do them more good than any medicine they ever tried."

"We never have a long spell of sickness in our family since we commenced using Black-Draught."

Thedford's Black-Draught is purely vegetable, and has been found to regulate weak stomachs, aid digestion, relieve indigestion, colic, wind, nausea, headache, sick stomach, and similar symptoms.

It has been in constant use for more than 70 years, and has benefited more than a million people.

Your druggist sells and recommends Black-Draught. Price only 25c. Get package to-day.

## NOTICE TO TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS

In accordance with agreement with City Council rental for telephone service from July 1st, to December 31st, 1916, will be at same rates as was paid by subscribers prior to July 1st.

All subscribers who have not paid their rental accounts will be entitled to the discount if paid on or before December 15th, 1916. Those subscribers who have paid will receive credit for the overpayment on their January bill.

Please pay accounts promptly and take advantage of the discount.

## Maysville Telephone Co.

(Incorporated.)

## THE SEASON'S GREETINGS

As we are about to pass into a new year, we wish to extend our thanks and greetings of the holiday season to our many friends everywhere.

We have always tried to do our part in seeing that our business was conducted in the proper way to merit the confidence of the people of Mason and surrounding counties, and that we have succeeded is attested to by the large volume of business which we handle and by the many satisfied customers who appreciate Traxel's "service" and Traxel "quality."

Again we say, "Greetings."

TRAXEL'S

"The House of Quality"

## JUDGE FOR YOURSELF

Which is Better—Try an Experiment or Profit by a Maysville Citizen's Experience.

Something new is an experiment. Must be proved to be as representative.

The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit.

But the endorsement of friends is. Now supposing you had a bad back.

A lame, weak, or aching one. Would you experiment on it?

You will read of many so-called cures.

Endorsed by strangers from far-away places.

It's different when the endorsement comes from home.

Easy to prove local testimony. Read this Maysville case:

Ben. P. Fleming, constable of Mason Co., 217 E. Lee St., Maysville, says:

"I have used Doan's Kidney Pills off and on for several years, getting them at Wood & Son's Drug Store, and they have been of great benefit. At times, my kidneys have been out of order and I have suffered from a dull, constant ache through the small of my back. The kidney secretions have been irregular in passage, too. A box or so of Doan's Kidney Pills have never failed to relieve me of the complaint in a short time."

Mr. Fleming is only one of many Maysville people who have gratefully endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills. If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS, the same that Mr. Fleming had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 50c all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. "When Your Back Is Lame—Remember the Name."

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## Clearing-up Sale At the New York Store Starts Saturday

Too many Winter Goods on hand and they have to be sold.

Fur Sets and Muffs cheaper than ever. Buy now for next winter.

## LADIES' SUITS

We have a good selection on hand. Buy one now with the whole winter before you.

## REMNANTS! REMNANTS!

Lots of them; all kinds very cheap. Come and see them.

We save you money on everything you need.

## New York Store

S. STRAUS, Proprietor. Phone 571.

Let us impress upon you In selling your tobacco to Be careful, so as to secure the right place. Every crop gets our personal attention Regardless of ownership. To secure the highest prices is our aim. You are therefore invited to pay us a visit so we can demonstrate our ability in getting the highest possible price for your crop of tobacco. We know how.

## Liberty Warehouse

C. M. JONES A. M. PERRY R. B. HOLTON  
Manager Auctioneer Assistant Manager

## Have You Tried a Want Ad?

John W. Porter MIDDLEMAN TRANSFER CO.  
FUNERAL DIRECTOR AUTO TRUCK FOR HEAVY OR LIGHT HAULING.  
Office Phone 37. Home Phone 96. We specialize on large contracts.  
17 East Second Street, Maysville, Ky. Office Phone 228. Home Phone 607. Office and barn East Front street.

## What a Pleasure The Loose Leaf Warehouse Business Is Now

It makes us feel good to receive the letters, and the kind words about the SATISFACTORY SALES we are now making.

We have never made the claim that we get so much more for tobacco than the other houses, but we do give each basket our personal attention, and try to make it bring its value, and with our many years experience, we have confidence enough in our judgment to take all we bid off, giving the grower a clean sale.

Try us with a load and go home happy.

## Growers Warehouse Company

MAYSVILLE, KY.  
L. T. GAEBKE, Pres. W. W. McILVAIN, V-Pres. J. C. RAINS, Sec.-Treas.

## Ford THE UNIVERSAL CAR

## NEW PRICES AUGUST 1, 1916

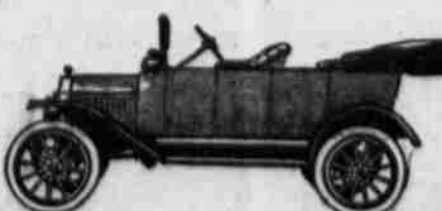
The following prices for Ford cars will be effective on and after August 1st, 1916:

Chassis	\$325.00
Runabout	345.00
Touring Car	360.00
Coupelet	505.00
Town Car	595.00
Sedan	645.00

L. C. B. Detroit

These prices are positively guaranteed against any reduction before August 1st, 1917, but there is no guarantee against an advance in price at any time.

## CENTRAL GARAGE COMPANY



COMING Tuesday—THE CIRCUS PICTURE "THE RAINBOW PRINCESS" WASHINGTON

ANNA PENNINGTON IN

WASHINGTON